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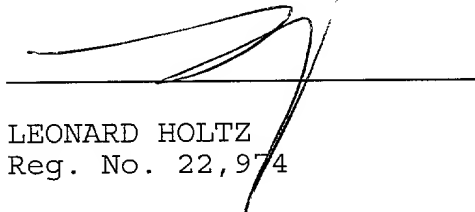
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In accordance with 37 CFR 1.121(c), a clean copy of the amended paragraphs on page 6 is set forth in the present Amendment, and a marked-up version of the amended page 6 is attached hereto.

The amendment is being made to correct an error in setting forth the figure descriptions of Fig. 47.

Respectfully submitted,



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~~FIG. 47A illustrates a composition of a table ROM in a network customhouse's terminal;~~

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FIG. 47~~A~~ illustrates a composition of a RAM in the network customhouse's terminal;

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FIG. 47~~A~~ illustrates a composition of a RAM in a financier's terminal;

FIG. 48 illustrates a composition of a table ROM in a contents dealer's terminal;

FIG. 49 illustrates a part of interactions performed among terminals of the system of the seventh embodiment;

FIG. 50 illustrates a remaining part of the interactions of FIG. 49;

FIG. 51 is a flowchart indicative of network processing by the contents receiver's terminal;

FIG. 52 is a flowchart indicative of network processing by a network customhouse's terminal in the first country;

FIG. 53 is a flowchart indicative of network processing by a financier's terminal;

FIG. 54 is a flowchart indicative of network processing by a contents dealer's terminal;

FIG. 55 illustrates a display picture of a notice of completed registration and ID issue;

FIG. 56A illustrates a display picture of a tax return and a notice of completed tax payment for the contents receiver;

FIG. 56B illustrates a display picture of a tax return and a notice of completed tax payment for the contents dealer;

FIG. 56C illustrates a display picture of a tax return and a notice of completed tax payment for the financier;